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By Asquith's Defeat

(From Financial Post)

When we were doing so badly in the war that anyone with a knowledge of the facts and with ordinary common sense—one not wedded to precedents or a pipe-clay soldier or sailor—could see that the Asquith Grey Churchill clique were making a mess of things. The Post began to advise Lloyd George for Prime Minister, and this when the editors were not in sympathy with many of his former policies. The present writer very foolishly refused, in 1912, for this reason, an opportunity to meet and have a leisurely chat with him at Maribon.

Copies of the articles were sent to all British M. P.s and members of the House of Lords. They created much talk and considerable protest. In official circles at Ottawa the editors were called pro German. But they were right. Soon after the Gallipoli-Neapetania in re-examination showed Asquith and Churchill to be utterly criminal when they delayed the advice of the great military and naval experts; hopelessly incompetent when they failed to furnish the men and munitions to carry out their expedition; and common cowards when, for several weeks, they refused to call a meeting of the War Cabinet after the Dardanelles disaster. Men with such a history would never dare to again appear in the United States Congress or in the British House of Commons. It is difficult to understand in England why it is so difficult to understand in this country, but a change will undoubtedly come when the armies return from Iran. In all probability this is one of the incidents Lord Shagbushy had in mind when he spoke, as recorded by Sir F. S. Smith, on the need of a change in the management of Imperial affairs.

Last week's experience in the British House of Commons proves Asquith to be a very ordinary politician. He shows himself always ready to embarrass those who are doing their utmost to win the war, but without putting himself on record. And the members are to be congratulated on defeating him by nearly three to one.

The incident also proves another of The Post's contentions: That incompetent men were allowed to hold some of the higher offices in the army and navy because of family and other influences. General Maurice, the evidently one of this type. We know them well in Canada. They are more or less pipe-clay soldiers. Knowledge of petty details is marvelous. Their insistence upon small technicalities and absolute neglect of the big problems were their outstanding characteristics. Anyone who has served in the Canadian militia in the last forty years can give you a list of them. They were splendid drill sergeants. If they had to look for themselves in civil life they would never show above junior bookkeepers. In that respect they would be accurate, but in almost every other respect, faithful, prompt, trustworthy, helpful, perfect servants.

Of the other type—the practical, resourceful, common-sense, capable, energetic and appreciated in Canada—two names will at once come to those who know. Sir Percy Lake, who did so well in Asia Minor and has been called so lately (and fairly) at Maribon, who followed him. Nearly every British officer before him had to leave Canada before he had been up. Lake was invited to come back to Canada to see the present King's tour of Canada was a marvel of organized thoroughness in every detail.

Those of us who are giving our relatives and our money now, and for years to come, to pay the mistakes of the Asquith group, thank God for the patient, painstaking courage of such men as Lloyd George and Robert Borden, whose great work is only now beginning to be appreciated, and in a small circle.

The overwhelming support and confidence in Lloyd George and the recent vote indicates it is the second greatest optimistic factor that appeals to the big men in this continent, the first being the unity of action under General Foch, for which we are indebted to U. S. insistence.

Lloyd George is now secure. The whole Empire is overwhelmingly behind him. As is France with Clemenceau. Wilson, by cutting in more of the biggest men in America and France, is dealing with the incompetency that is unavoidable in any new organizations, no matter how efficient be the general management, is rapidly building an army with its machinery that will ensure a successful termination of the war.

For the first time since the war began The Post is to regard the situation with optimism. The Allies are always had the will and courage to win, and could have won it, but the blight of the Asquith Churchill maladministration was upon them. Political interference was setting directly counter to the naval and military authorities, and appointing to high offices of our great states, and the refusal to call in the best men of the nation, the men who had shown by their careers that they had the capacity and the guts to get things done, all discouraged optimism. Good luck was what we hoped for. There are dangers yet, but we are now fighting

intelligently, not "unwinding through." Much now depends upon Lloyd George taking full advantage of the authentic position the law gives him. The Financial Post believes he will, hence optimism takes the place of pessimism.

Local and General

Robt. Storey left for Calgary on Wednesday.

Mrs. Berton was a Calgary visitor on Monday.

H. B. Tilden, of Granum, was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. R. E. Foster is visiting her mother south of Lethbridge.

Geo. Maxwell has been confined to the house for two weeks suffering from rheumatism.

Horsemen should have their studs oiled at once. We have full equipment for this class of work.

Mrs. Lee Elgin and Miss Storey, who have been visiting in California for six weeks, returned home on Wednesday.

"Lloyd George" has taken up a temporary residence in Clareholm. He is the son of Geo. Beatty and was born in Calgary a few weeks ago. Mr. Beatty and family are preparing to move to Calgary next week.

The service at the Methodist Church next Sunday, a. m., will be taken by Mrs. George Ringrose who will speak on "Where We Got Our Bible." Mr. J. W. Hallett will conduct the meeting.

A gang of men arrived from Calgary on Wednesday to work on the pipe line between the town and the creek. The water "abut off" this work was necessary, while the new engine made some needed repairs to the engine.

The spring assizes, held in Fernel on May 15th John Francis Walsh was found guilty of the murder of William Hall at Peterson's Camp, Buffalo, in November last. Judge Morrison sentenced the accused to be hanged July 29th at Nelson, B. C.

Rev. W. E. and Mrs. MacNiven leave on Saturday for Edmonton to attend the Methodist Conference at McDougall Church there. Mr. MacNiven is a member of the Stationing Committee, which convenes next Monday in Edmonton.

Frank Murray received a card this week announcing the marriage of Mr. S. O. Bryan, who left Clareholm as a member of the first contingent, to Miss Mary Nick. The wedding took place at the Congregational Church in Aton, England. The groom is well known in Clareholm. At one time he conducted a shoe repair business in the old building recently moved from beside the Red Cross rooms.

The plasterers have nearly completed their work in the New Ice House. Three large panes on each side of the building depict scenes in Canada. One panel shows a mounted policeman on the prairie trail; another shows a buffalo on the plains; there is a picture of an old castle high up on some rocks with a creek meandering at the foot; the scene is mostly scenes showing snow-capped mountains, rocks, valleys and ravines. The drop curtains are in place and handsomely painted.

Five Mile Notes

Mrs. Jean Lepard returned home on Tuesday morning from Los Angeles, California, after nearly three months' visit in the land of sunshine.

Edwin Frederickson visited Maribon on Monday and had his usual removal. Dr. MacMillan performed the operation. Edwin returned Tuesday evening.

Yat's! Don't you know gasoline is expensive. Please leave your car running while you stand on the porch taking a young lady.

Young Gibson, Morrison, and Dargatz, left for Calgary on Wednesday morning to go into training.

Oliver May invested in a second hand Ford that he wished to sell. Dr. MacMillan performed the operation. Dr. MacMillan performed the operation. Dr. MacMillan performed the operation.

Mrs. Jack Rintgen has been staying with friends near Maribon, for the last few days.

Mr. Ed. Curran's daughter, Mrs. Dr. McKay, of Calgary, made her parent's visit this week.

Four of the Fredericksen children have been all wide awake.



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Geo. Washington Powdered Coffee—Send a tin of this Coffee to your Boy at the front.

Canned Pilchard—A Splendid Substitute for Salmon. Salada Tea Carnation Milk

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I. O. D. Notes.

The regular monthly meeting of the Footbills Chapter I. O. D. E. will take place on Tuesday, May 28th, at 3 p. m. in Harrison Hall.

Please remember the Japanese Tea and sale of House Cooking to be held on Saturday, May 26th, in the recently occupied by Mr. Milnes.

Afternoon Tea will be served from 3 p. m. to 5 p. m. and from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. Supper will be served. Every one is urged to help make this under taking a success as the proceeds will be used to buy grass seed, plants and other things needed for the new park.

Japanese torii and books containing war recipes will be on sale. Please come and help beautify the town.

The senate has lately been discussing the question of divorce in Canada. What a number of people would like to see a divorce between the senate and Canada.

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
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Can furnish you with LUMBER from the yard at low prices or in CAR LOTS at wholesale prices. We OWN and OPERATE our own MILLS and can guarantee the quality of our lumber. Orders filled promptly. Give us a trial and we will save you money

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Friday, May 24, 1918

EMPIRE DAY

What shall be said of the British Empire which we commemorate on the 24th of May? What is to be her contribution to the world's progress? What has been her contribution in the past? She has not been without her great soldiers, sailors, statesmen, poets, orators, explorers, scientists. There have all added to the world's common store of knowledge, but what shall be said of the Empire as a unit? Perhaps one of the Empire's most precious gifts to the world was her underlying love of Freedom. The wrestling of Magna Carta from the unwilling John at Runnymede, the passing of the Bill of Rights in 1689 were symptoms of the British's inherent love of freedom. The freedom which he claimed for himself he allowed to others. In 1750 Lord Mansfield, who was then the chief justice, ruled that "the slave become free when he set foot on English soil."

The British navy cleared the sea of pirates and charted the ocean. Only a designing German could ever impugn the veracity of the phrase "the freedom of the seas." The treatment of the Empire to her component parts has ever been marked with breadth of thought and co-sideration for national sentiment. The treatment meted to South Africa after the Boer war must ever remain a monument to the far-seeing wisdom of the Empire's rulers. The magnificent response of South Africa in the present war reflects the glory of the Empire's treatment of one of her component parts. No system of government obviously stamped "made in Berlin" was issued to South Africa, but along her own lines she was permitted to develop and progress.

It has been the glory of the British Empire that she entered the world in defence of a weak nation and in fulfilment of a pledge given by her. As an Empire she knows no other code of morals than that given to individuals—then shall not kill, steal, not lie, be selfish, etc. She repudiates the position taken by the Central Empire that nations are not subject to moral law. The whole unprejudiced world rises from a study of the course of the European war with a feeling that the British Empire stood for "fair play, for justice." It is to this commonwealth of nations of which the Empire consists that we are proud to belong. A study of her history, a study of her ideals, a comparison of the Empire with the empires of the past enables us to enter into the feelings of him who wrote: "Whether there a man with soul so dead, who hath not within himself said, 'this is my own, my native land.'"

Idle Rich Must Work

Several prosecutions have already taken place in this part of the country under the order in regard prohibiting idleness on the part of able-bodied men. The term "idle" must be interpreted in no narrow sense. It is not sufficient to run in a pool-room, launders. The other day an afternoon dance at a Vancouver hotel was visited and a large number of young fellows gathered in, who apparently had no idea that the order in question would apply to them. Colonel Grassett, the Toronto chief of police, has issued this warning, which should be heeded every where to all male between 16 and 40:

We have already received the names of a number of people of means who have no useful occupation, and unless they obtain employment at once they will be prosecuted. No one between those ages can live on their means. Some people have no more useful occupation than idling around in a motor car. Well, this is going to stop.

Here is an "interesting" statement from those who favor government ownership of railroads. The United States Government took over all the railroads of that country and in the first three months of operation lost \$10,000,000. Canada has only taken over our least profitable transcontinental roads, namely, the G. T. P. and C. N. R., and the very nature suggests itself: how much will Canada lose on operating "excesses"? We contend that our government is making a big mistake. We either should take over all the railroads or none of them.

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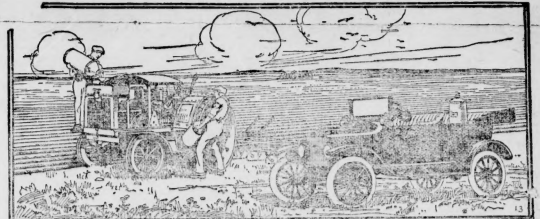
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The Minister of Finance estimates the expenditure for the next fiscal year at \$800,000,000, and receipts from all sources at \$700,000,000.

Clareholm Local News

Clareholm Fair dates July 30 and 31.

Lee Altie has been appointed janitor of the Methodist Church.

Joyce Price has taken a position with W. D. Annable.

Clarence Curley left on Monday for Calgary to join the colors.

The Sturdy Fair will be held on August 9th.

The Grumman Herald reports that Laurence Blair is suffering from a "dilettante heart."

The C.P.R. Station at Fincher Creek was burned to the ground on Sunday morning.

Private Charles Fisher, of Calgary, spent a few days in Clareholm this week.

Miss Maude Fraser was visiting with her sister in Nanton, on Sunday, last.

Navigation is now open between Fort Wilton and the sea, and ships are again moving grain eastward.

Mr. W. Quail, one of our retired farmers, now residing in Calgary, has been visiting in town and district for the last couple of weeks.

Mr. Muir, of the bank of Commerce, left on Monday evening to take up his duties as manager of the bank in Regina, Saskatchewan.

The Agricultural Society of Grumman has decided not to hold a Fair this year. Lack of funds is given to be the reason.

The Grumman Herald, which has published about three issues, comes out this week as "Vol. 2, No. 1." To the uninitiated it might explain that while they have only been out for three issues, it has been three weeks since they are writing to make the public believe they have issued their paper 50 times, on year and 7 weeks. News paper emulogues!

A report has been handed in regarding the lady teachers, who were advertised as last last week, to the effect that a Mr. Still has discovered them. When found they were on foot, their bikes having disappeared in a middle-bush.

The list of subscribers to the Triangle (Y.M.C.A.) Fund has been received at this office, but will have to remain on the copy book till we get on new linotype machine in operation as we have not enough capital letters in our new cases to cover the page. The list of names is a very long one.

We would respectfully call the attention of the most practical police in Clareholm to the fact that the speed law governing automobiles is being repeatedly broken in this town. Young men constantly drive cars on our streets at between 30 and 40 miles an hour. The same official might also do something to justify his continuance on the pay roll of the province by enforcing the law as we are of glaring law.

The people who use coal should heed the warning now given by the Government and secure their supply of fuel for the winter with the least possible delay. The hint is plainly conveyed that next winter cars may not be available in sufficient numbers to supply the demand. It is also probable that what cars are available for this trade may be utilized to haul coal eastward to Saskatchewan and Manitoba from the Alberta mine fields. So the householders of Alberta should take full advantage of the present opportunity to dump 15 or 20 tons of coal into the shed this summer and avoid useless regrets and recovery next winter.

A lady has requested us to protest against the habit of young men gathering in a crowd on the sidewalks, mostly in front of Chinese restaurants, and passing remarks on pedestrians who have to elude their way through the crowd. The lady is of the opinion that a "move on" rule should be established in this town. At certain times the sidewalks are directly obstructed by crowds of young men congregating in spots, making it necessary for people to leave the sidewalk altogether in order to pass. We are getting quite a lot of letters and regulations these days, so one more won't do any harm. Besides in this case the need is great. Young men really ought to know enough not to block up sidewalks, but if they don't, they will have to be dealt with and taught better manners. Ladies must have right of way these days; they are voters, you know.

Mr. Florence has taken a position as clerk in J. M. Soby's store.

Sylvan Hilliard left on Wednesday for the Soreau Camp to commence military training.

Mrs. Clarence Fredell (nee May Avelin) of Blackie, is visiting in Clareholm.

Private Carl J. Edlund, son of O. Edlund, returned to Calgary on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Wilton and family are leaving on Friday for Calgary, where they will make their home.

Mrs. H. B. Duffy, of Lomond, has rented Lee Altie's house and will take possession early in June.

Mr. J. R. Revell has sold his house East of the track to the Independent Grain Company.

O. A. Finstad is building a residence on the east side of the track. He has also just completed a big barn 30 x 50 on his farm.

Every farmer should be present at the C. P. A. service on Sunday next at the Methodist Church at 7.30 p.m. See the ad. in this paper regarding it.

Warren Hilliard has been in Calgary for the past week and is receiving cataplectic treatment for a lame back.

Frost, during the past week, has tipped early vegetables. The young leaves on the trees also show the effect of the frost.

Mrs. Godely was in Calgary, on Tuesday, to see her little boy who has been in the hospital. A tremendous amount of repair work has been done in town this spring, and many homes beautified. It is also pleasing to note that some of our residents are making an effort to improve the boulevards and plant shade trees. It is to be hoped that the desire for beautiful surroundings will become contagious and embrace the whole community.

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LOANS FOR LIVESTOCK

To good Farmers living in the vicinity of its Rural Branches, THE UNION BANK is prepared to make loans, on reasonable terms, for the purpose of purchasing cattle for feeding or breeding purposes.

Consult the Local Manager for particulars.

UNION BANK

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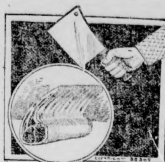
PAID UP CAPITAL \$5,000,000.00
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The Pioneer Bank of Western Canada

CLARESHOLM BRANCH

W. R. SHANKS, Manager.

Branch also at Barons

**Clareholm Meat Market**

Dealers in all kinds of

FRESH and CURED MEATS

Highest Cash Prices paid for Prime Beef, Hops and Poultry

Fresh Pacific Coast FISH

EAT MORE FISH

By order of Canadian Food Board

Fresh Vegetables Always on Hand

PHONE 11

D. ANDERSON, Prop.

Clanton tickets for students and children \$2.50 and \$1.00 were obtained from the principal of the School Mr. O. Williams.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS**Dr. R. M. Riggs**

RESIDENT DENTIST

4th Avenue Opp. Wilton Hotel

J. R. Watt, B. A.

Barrister, Notary Public

OFFICE—THIRD AVENUE

Fined for Violating**Food Regulators**

The selling of beef and veal at the Union Hotel, contrary to the Food Regulator's regulations, was fined \$100 and costs. In imposing the fine the Magistrate said: "I have the power to make the fine \$1,000, and now issue the warning that I intend to deal more severely with future cases."

Two Edmonton restaurant men were each fined \$100 and costs for having pork and beef in two city de-

lites on Wednesday, 1000000 day. Magistrate Pringle said that ignorance of the law during the present season was an excuse. The two fines went entirely into the city coffers. The Calgary Police have expressed their determination to enforce the food laws strictly.

Crop conditions throughout Canada are more favorable in Ontario and the prairie provinces. Conditions in Quebec and B.C. are not so good, but slightly better than last year. The Maritime provinces are much later than usual.

Noted Canadian Orator at Chautauqua.

One of the most impressive, instructive and interesting lectures that will be held at the big Chautauqua tent will be given by Dr. W. Wood. Dr. Wood is president of the Canadian Council of Agriculture and a real live wire. He has been one of the leading speakers at all of the big agricultural gatherings in the Dominion.



PRES. H. W. WOOD.

inlon, Manufacturers, bankers and merchants recognize him as one of the strongest advocates the farming interest have. He is a great thinker, a splendid financier and a real leader of men. For many years he has been the president of the United Farmers of Alberta. The farm he owns, and manages personally, situated south of Calgary, is one of the best in Alberta. No man is in closer touch with the needs of the farmers of the Dominion. He has done more than any one other man to secure for the farmer his just dues and a square deal.

The day of registration for the men and women of Canada between the ages of 16 and 60 will be June 22nd.

A Little Chat With The Home Merchant

(Copyright)
That the foreign "catalogue habit" is the most serious handicap to progress confronting local communities in Canada today cannot be denied.

Merchants, individually and collectively, have worried much over the fact, and have tried to devise ways and means to counteract the inroads of this commercial parasite.

Little or nothing has so far been accomplished. The retail merchant must. Many local newspapers have done and are doing their part to brand the catalog habit as a disease and a blight that has sent hundreds of once promising towns to the industrial and commercial bonfire, decreased realty values, put social conditions on the blink and halted educational progress.

A proportion of the merchants have also done their part—or doing it only baphazardly. At the present time the retail merchants of the country are under way a gigantic scheme for co-operation in buying that will supply them with an important leverage for appealing to the people to give preference to the local store on a basis of competitive comparison.

But this alone will not fill the bill satisfactorily. In the opinion of the writer there are two further essential what must be consistently and persistently practiced:

1. Adequate advertising in the local newspapers.
 2. Community loyalty and community propaganda that will reach every resident of every locality.
- It has been found to be absolutely true that districts where the merchant use but sparingly of the advertising columns of the local newspapers, and where there is no healthy spirit of local pride and patriotism and communal relations, are the districts where the big mail order concerns of the distant cities work their greatest havoc to the community economic interests.

A statement to this effect was made some time ago in an address given before an advertising association in the United States by the head merchant manager of the well known mail-order firm of Sears-Roebuck, Chicago. This firm employs a large staff of clerks to check up on the advertising carried by local newspapers throughout the country, and to tabulate the general community spirit existing in communities that are in these regards, the work of flooding such districts with the mail order catalogs and other literature begins, and, says the advertising manager referred to above, "We find that we always secure more business in those sections."

Does this signify anything to the home merchant? The big mail order houses make continual war upon the local merchant in the latter's own territory. Surely it is time the home merchant was utilizing every possible weapon to put the unscrupulous enemy to rout, for the sake of his business, his dignity and the community's prosperity.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Fire broke out at two places at practically the same time in the hotel at Burdette. The fire upstairs, which apparently started in a clothes closet, proved to be most destructive as several rooms were destroyed and a hole burned in the roof. The other outbreak took place in the basement, but fortunately was discovered in time to prevent damage. Incendiaries are suspected but no proof forthcoming.

The labor situation in Winnipeg is getting out of hand. The thousands of men on strike are tying up business wholesale. Minister of Labor, Crothers seems to be helpless, and instead of being on the job in person he is sending deputies. At this stage of the game there is no telling what may happen.

Calgary papers report the case of a farmer at Sioux Falls, S. D., who was lured and feathered because he would not purchase a Liberty bond or subscribe to the Red Cross fund. When will our American friends understand that such proceedings are very un-democratic. Surely a more humane way can be found to deal with such characters, and be more consistent with the emblem of freedom that floats over the Statue of Liberty.

City Barber Shop

Located in the Wilton Hotel

R. L. Redfern, Prop.

STAR LAUNDRY

Opening, May 1

All work done by hand. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Give us a Trial.

Two Doors West of Claresholm Garage

For Sale

Rumley Oil Pull, 25-45
Ideal Separator, new last fall, 36-60.

3-Purrow Plow.
500-Gal. Oil Tank.

This is a first-class outfit and cheap. Apply to
A. E. Strange or
R. E. Moffatt

Brand Notices

Owner of the following brands:
All cattle with C 7 on left rib.

Horses V 4 left shoulder

Address or phone F. DOWNS.

Notice to Farmers in Claresholm District:

C. T. TAPP, district representative appointed by the Provincial Department of Agriculture, wishes to announce that communication may be had with him at the School of Agriculture, Claresholm. Labels and Seed Grain shortages are promptly dealt with. Advice may be had free on different agricultural matters dealing particularly with "greater production."

MUNICIPALITY OF ARGYLE**NOTICE**

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Argyle No. 99:

Tax Notice that His Honor Judge McNeill, Judge of the District Court of Macleod, will, at the sittings of the Court at the Town of Macleod on Tuesday, the Eleventh day of June, A.D. 1918, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Argyle No. 99.

Dated at Claresholm, Alberta, this Tenth day of April, 1918.

A. H. TOVELL,
Sec.-Treas. R.M. Argyle No. 99

PHOTOGRAPHY

FILMS DEVELOPED and PRINTED. Photo-Workshop Guaranteed. Mail orders promptly attended to. Enlargements from any kind of films to please. Children's photos a specialty. Claresholm Art Studio, Claresholm.

U.F.A. SUNDAY

A Union Service will be held next Sunday,

MAY 26th, at 7.30 p.m.

in Methodist Church

The ministers of the town will take part in the Service

An Address will be given by

REV. JOS. PHOENIX, M.A.

Everybody Welcome. Farmers particularly invited

NOW PRODUCING OIL

That's what counts—profits in oil come from oil. We are ready to deliver to you line approximately 40 to 60 barrels of oil every day in the year from our Well Number One in the Paola Fields of Kansas. This producer came in on April 2nd, just thirty-three days from the time we began to sell our stock.

Well Number Two was started on April 13th, within 300 feet of well No. 1. We are going at a speed seldom equalled by any company. Our Paola lease in itself will be completely developed at the earliest opportunity. Well Number Two is expected in this week.

Well Number Three will be started in a few days 300 feet to the north of well No. 1, Paola Oil Fields of Kansas.

In one month we have completely financed five wells. We are exceeding the speed limit. We are making money fast. Every well is worth thousands of dollars.

We have leases in Paola and Garnett, Kansas, Warm Springs, Thornton-Upton Fields, Salt Creek, Teapot, Shepard Dome, Tongue River, Coal Creek, Palmer Dome and Rawhide Dome, in Wyoming. The first six named are now producing oil.

FIGURE YOUR PROFITS FOR YOURSELF

A 25-barrel oil well earns per year.....	\$ 22,500.00
A 50-barrel oil well earns per year.....	45,000.00
A 100-barrel oil well earns per year.....	90,000.00
A 200-barrel oil well earns per year.....	180,000.00
A 500-barrel oil well earns per year.....	450,000.00
A 1,000-barrel oil well earns per year.....	900,000.00
A 10,000-barrel oil well earns per year.....	9,000,000.00

ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHARES AT

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An event of considerable local in-
terest took place in Lethbridge on
Wednesday last, May 22nd, at Knox
Presbyterian Parsonage, when J. T.
McKay, son of Mrs. Vankorn, was nu-
tured in matrimony to Miss Olive Sol-
berg. A few Clareholm friends were
present. Dale Caldwell acting as
best man, and Miss Lillian Solberg
as bridesmaid. The ceremony was
conducted by Rev. T. C. Ferrine.
The news came over the wire soon
after the wedding and was the signal
for general celebration on the part of
the many friends of the young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Harrison, former
of the Head Hills district, were away
visiting neighbors, a week ago last
Sunday, and when they returned
found their house destroyed by fire.
Loss \$1,100, and no insurance.

Estray Notices

STRAYED—From the Northern Light
School district, on or about the 12th inst.
of April, one heifer calf, color light red,
some Jersey blood in it. No brand. \$5
reward for any information leading to re-
covery.—T. E. EVANS, Box 177, Clares-
holm. Phone 1005. 12-3

LOST—Two backskin ponies, one
dark bay, geldings. Two black colts—
one yearling, one 2-yr. old—lost near
Howard for recovery. Notify Theodore
Ronnin or Review-Advertiser. 12-3

STRAYED—One red steer, 4 yr. old,
one white spot on ribs, branded N1L on
ribs.—Clareholm Meat Market. 12-3

COW LOST—Branded FM on
right shoulder, brindle color.—JACK
BERG, 1 1/2 miles s.-w. from Five Mile
School. 12-3

From the farm of the undersigned,
two Berkshire Boars, about 18 months
old, one is tallish. Have been gone about
three months. Please notify
12-3 JOHN SMEDSTAD, Clareholm

From C. Day's farm, 25-12-28, three
3-yr. old Heifers. Two branded D X
on left shoulder, the other branded Y D
on right hip, and one branded W X
on right ribs. \$5 each for anyone re-
turning same to C. DAY. 12-4

STRAYED—One Red Steer, 4 yr.,
old. One white spot on ribs. Brand
N 1 L on ribs. Clareholm Meat
Market. 11-3

Trout Creek Notes

On Saturday evening of last week
some of the boys on the creek pulled
out a very successful stampede on the
ranch on A. N. Brown. The program
was pulled off as per schedule and
luckily no one was injured—this being
due to the fact that all of the contri-
butions proved past masters in the art
of conquering bucking bronchos and
bawling steers. After the stampede
the boys were all royally entertained
by Mrs. Clifford Brown and they
quickly devoured the two large Tur-
keys that had been prepared for the
occasion. The real feature of the
event was the sensational riding of
"Mexican" Mike Sweet. The gentle-
man brought the two hundred specta-
tors present to their feet and the ap-
plause he received was deafening.
He easily carried off the prize. The
bunch intend having another big time
soon.

A farewell dance was held at the
Trout Creek School on Friday even-
ing in honor of Alan Sharpe, who is
leaving for the front. All present
thoroughly enjoyed themselves and
gave Alan a fitting farewell.

It is rumored that one of our local
ladies intends purchasing rubber
gloves for daily wear instead of the
old fashioned kind.

Wanted—Private Instructor, to
teach a member of the gentler sex
how to scrub a floor. For further
particulars apply to toll collector
Willow Creek bridge.

The crops in this district are all
looking fine so far. However, a little
rain would be very welcome and ex-
pect the genial smile of the farmers
in this locality.

Willow Creek Wet Wash—This
being the name of the new laundry to
start soon at Willow Creek bridge.
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fice hours, 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Propri-
etors game withheld for the present.

A Good Example

If there is one respect in which the
Canadian Pacific Railway is a model
to all other corporations, large and
small, in the Dominion of Canada, it
is in the unbounded loyalty of its ex-
ecutives to the corporation as the ab-
solute chessmen of the directors in
their relation to it. In all the years
of its existence, during which many
hundreds of millions of dollars have
passed through its hands, there never
has been the faintest breath of sus-
picion concerning the company's re-
lations to its directors or the relations
of the directors to the company.
There have been opportunities num-
erable, but the history of the corpora-
tion in this regard is summed up in
the following paragraph from Lord
Dunsburgh's speech at the recent
annual meeting in Montreal:

"Land grants pertaining to lines
purchased or leased in perpetuity,
real estate, metal mines, smelters and
other assets that now play such an
important part in the annual balanc-
sheet of the company, might also
have been converted and acquired by
and are commonly known as the 'in-
siders' had any such spirit inspired
the directors from time to time, but
not a penny was permitted to slip
through such a channel. Indeed, it
might be said that while the individ-
ual credit of directors was no more
than one occasion was asked and free-
ly granted at the initial stages of a
transaction, no consideration was ever
given excepting the refund of out-of-
pocket expenses and bank interest;
nor was anything more expected."

To young men entering business;
to older men forming partnerships;
to promoters of new enterprises and to
those who control corporations, small
and large, the example of the Cana-
dian Pacific Railway may well be cit-
ed as one which has secured the re-
spect of all financiers and has added
immunity to the prosperity of the
shareholders.

Lonie Rodika, a Canadian born
German, a farm laborer in the em-
ploy of J. J. Coughlin, near Stanton,
was arrested on Saturday of last week
and committed for trial at Macleod
for using seditious language. Rodika
had been expelled from an ordinary ser-
vice. Mr. Coughlin had expressed
the opinion that the Government
would have to release soldiers to help
with the harvest. Rodika said that if
the Government made him go to the army
and then sent him out to work in the
hardest fields, he would burn the
crops. Mr. Coughlin took prompt
measures for Rodika's arrest and, as
stated above, he was sent to Macleod
to deal with by Judge McNeil.

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